OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday the 16th July 1938.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Gunteor, per palla ...	100	246	12 12 0 to 14 0 0		7 to 7½ seers per rupee
	Mysore Kaddi, per palla.	100	246	11 8 0 to 12 8 0		8 to 8½ ,,
	Alubbalu, per palla ...	100	246	.....	No stock	
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black), per cart-load.	640	...	36 0 0 to 37 0 0	...	16 to 16½ ,,
	Superior (Red), per cart-load.	640	...	38 0 0 to 38 8 0	...	
Tur ...	Gulberga ...	...	...	.....	...	7½ to 8½ ,,
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	5 to 6 ,,
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	8 to 8½ ,,
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6½ to 7½ ,,
Oils and Oil Seeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil ...	...	26½	4 4 0	...	Re. 0-2-0 per seer
	Castor oil ...	...	28	4 0 0	...	,, 0-2-0 per seer
Oil seeds ...	Gingelly or til seed, per candy.	255	...	33 0 0 to 35 0 0		
	Castor seed, per candy...	255	...	22 0 0 to 22 4 0		
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	25	3 2 0 to 3 4 0	...	Re. 0-6-0 to 0-7-0 per viss
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	3 0 0 to	...	
Jaggery ...	Achu	...	28	1 12 0 to 2 4 0	...	Re. 0-4-0 to 0-5-0 per viss
	Oonde	...	28	1 12 0 to 2 4 0	...	
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26½	18 0 0	...	Rs. 2-4-0 per viss.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	105	...	7 2 0	...	14 seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 18th July 1938.

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For *Director.*

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1938.

A total of 7 attacks with 2 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 18 attacks with 12 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore, Mysore and Kolar Gold Field Area continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding weeks in 1937 and 1936 were 49 attacks with 42 deaths and 4 attacks with 4 deaths respectively.

A total of 24 attacks with 4 deaths from Small-pox was reported from one village in Holalkere Taluk and two villages in Koppa Taluk, and from Bangalore City.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 87 (9 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 21·3 (19·1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 20·6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Small-pox, 7 under Phthisis, 13 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 66 under all other causes. The reported mortality was low.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 72 deaths (12 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 25·8 (21·5 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 26·4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Broncho-pneumonia 2, Pneumonia 9, Typhoid 1, Phthisis 7, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 13, and all other causes 40. The reported mortality was normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 54 (13 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 22·6 (17 2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of popluation as against 26·0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Malaria 2, Other Fevers 1, Phthisis 5, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 5, and all other causes 41. The reported mortality was low.

There were 59 deaths (8 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 36·8 (31·8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 26·7 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Malaria, 6 under other Fevers, 24 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 28 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

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